



IMMIGRATION IN OECD COUNTRIES

11th annual conference

13-14 December 2021

The CEPII, LISER and the OECD as well as their partners from the Fondazione Rodolfo De Benedetti, Paris School of Economics, University of Lille (LEM) and University of Luxembourg are jointly organizing the 11th Annual Conference on "Immigration in OECD Countries" on December 13-14, 2021.

13:45-14:00 - WELCOME ADDRESS

Christophe Destais (CEPII deputy-director)

Frédéric Docquier (Research Program Leader (Crossing Borders), LISER)

Jean-Christophe Dumont (Head of International Migration Division at OECD)

PROGRAM FOR DAY 1

14:00-15:00 - KEYNOTE SESSION I by Giovanni Facchini (University of Nottingham)

15:15-16:45 - PARALLEL SESSIONS 1

1A - International migration

1B - High skilled immigration

1C - Impact on attitudes and perceptions

17:00-18:30 - PARALLEL SESSIONS 2

2A - Restrictive immigration policies

2B - Impact on crime and public finance

2C - Integration of refugees

PROGRAM FOR DAY 2

13:00-14:00 - KEYNOTE SESSION II by Christina Gathmann (LISER)

14:15-15:45 - PARALLEL SESSIONS 3

3A - Impact on the labor market

3B - Integration of immigrants and their children

3C - Work permits and illegal immigrants

16:00-17:30 - PARALLEL SESSIONS 4

4A - Integration of immigrants

4B - Immigration, electoral outcomes and inequality

4C - Migration, trade and market structure

17:45 - 18:45 - KEYNOTE SESSION III by Paola Giuliano (UCLA - Anderson School of Management)

PROGRAM (DAY 1)

14:00-15:00 - KEYNOTE SESSION I

Giovanni Facchini (University of Nottingham)

"Immigrant franchise and immigration policy: Evidence from the progressive era"

Moderator: Frédéric Docquier

15:15 - 16:45 - PARALLEL SESSIONS 1

1A - International migration	1B - High skilled immigration
<p>Chair: Michel Beine</p> <p>1- Els Bekaert, Amelie F. Constant, Killian Foubert, Ilse Ruysen <i>"Longing for Which Home: Evidence from Global Aspirations to Stay, Return or Migrate Onwards"</i></p> <p><u>Discussant</u> : Alicia Adserà</p> <p>2- Alicia Adserà, Till Nikolka, Panu Poutvaara <i>"Cognitive Abilities, Gender, and Migration Aspirations"</i></p> <p><u>Discussant</u> : Christopher Parsons</p> <p>3- Jose Blanco-Alvarez, Christopher Parsons, Sam Tang, Yong Wang <i>"Brain Gain, Brain Refrain and Human Capital Formation in Spain"</i></p> <p><u>Discussant</u> : Ilse Ruysen</p>	<p>Chair: Anthony Edo</p> <p>1- Breno Braga, Gaurav Khanna, Sarah Turner <i>"Migration Policy and the Supply of Foreign Physicians: Evidence from the Conrad 30 Waiver Program"</i></p> <p><u>Discussant</u> : Zovanga L. Kone</p> <p>2- Ehui Adovor, Frédéric Docquier, Zovanga L. Kone <i>"Physician Brain Drain, Medical Training, and Shortage of Healthcare Personnel across the Globe"</i></p> <p><u>Discussant</u> : Giuseppe Ippedico</p> <p>3- Jacopo Bassetto, Giuseppe Ippedico <i>"Can Tax Incentives Bring Brains Back? The Effects of Returnees' Tax Schemes on High Skill Migration in Italy"</i></p> <p><u>Discussant</u> : Breno Braga</p>

1C - Impact on attitudes and perceptions

Chair: Thomas Liebig

1- Sarah Schneider-Strawczynski, **Jérôme Valette**

"Media Coverage of Immigration, and the Polarization of Attitudes"

Discussant : Mustafa Coban

2- **Mustafa Coban**

"More Immigrants, Less Solidarity? Immigration, Perception of Immigrants, and Support for Redistribution in Europe"

Discussant : Isabel Ruiz

3- William Allen, **Isabel Ruiz**, Carlos Vargas-Silva

"Policy Preferences in Response to Large Migration Inflows"

Discussant : Jérôme Valette

2A - Restrictive immigration policies	2B - Impact on crime and public finance
<p>Chair: Frédéric Docquier</p>	<p>Chair: Gilles Spielvogel</p>
<p>1- Reem Zaiour <i>“Policy Impacts in the Age of Trump: Evidence from DACA”</i> <i>Discussant</i> : Lorenzo Spadavecchia</p>	<p>1- Martin Lange and Katrin Sommerfeld <i>“Do Refugees Impact Crime? Quasi-Experimental Evidence from Large-Scale Refugee Immigration”</i> <i>Discussant</i> : Marcela De Castro-Valderrama</p>
<p>2- Davide M. Coluccia, Lorenzo Spadavecchia <i>“The Economic Effects of Immigration Restriction Policies - Evidence from the Italian Mass Migration to the US”</i> <i>Discussant</i> : Patrick Gaulé</p>	<p>2- Oscar M. Valencia, Matilde Angarita, Marcela De Castro-Valderrama, Juan Camilo Santaella <i>“Do Immigrants Bring Fiscal Dividends? A General Equilibrium Analysis of Forced Migration”</i> <i>Discussant</i> : Michael A. Clemens</p>
<p>3- Ruchir Agarwal, Ina Ganguli, Patrick Gaulé, Geoff <i>“Why U.S. Immigration Barriers Matter for the Global Advancement of Science”</i> <i>Discussant</i> : Reem Zaiour</p>	<p>3- Michael A. Clemens <i>“The Fiscal Effect of Immigration: Reducing Bias in Accounting Estimates”</i> <i>Discussant</i> : Katrin Sommerfeld</p>

2C - Integration of refugees
<p>Chair: Hubert Jayet</p>
<p>1- Cevat Giray Aksoy, Panu Poutvaara, Felicitas Schikora <i>“First Time Around: Local Conditions and Multi-dimensional Integration of Refugees”</i> <i>Discussant</i> : Martina Viarengo</p>
<p>2- Tobias Müller, Pia Pannatier, Martina Viarengo <i>“Labor Market Integration, Local Conditions and Inequalities: Evidence from Refugees in Switzerland”</i> <i>Discussant</i> : Teresa Freitas-Monteiro</p>
<p>3- Teresa Freitas-Monteiro, Lars Ludolph <i>“Barriers to Humanitarian Migration, Victimization and Integration Outcomes: Evidence from Germany”</i> <i>Discussant</i> : Cevat Giray Aksoy</p>

PROGRAM (DAY 2)

13:00-14:00 - KEYNOTE SESSION II

Christina Gathmann (LISER)

"Citizenship and Immigrant Integration"

Moderator: Christophe Destais

14:15 - 15:45 - PARALLEL SESSIONS 3

3A - Impact on the labor market

Chair: Hillel Rapoport

1- Paul Berbée, Alfred Garloff, Katrin Sommerfeld, Herbert Brücker

"The Labor Demand Effects of Refugee Immigration: Evidence from a Natural Experiment"

Discussant : Jeremy Lebow

2- Jeremy Lebow

"Immigration and Occupational Downgrading in Colombia"

Discussant : Anthony Edo

3- George J. Borjas, Anthony Edo

"Gender, Selection into Employment, and the Wage Impact of Immigration"

Discussant : Paul Berbée

3B - Integration of immigrants and their children

Chair: Xavier Chojnicki

1- Toman Barsbai, Andreas Steinmayr, Christoph Winter

"Immigrating into a Recession: Evidence from Family Migrants to the US"

Discussant : Daniel Auer

2- Daniel Auer, Johannes S. Kunz

"Communication Barriers and Infant Health: Intergenerational Effects of Randomly Allocating Refugees Across Language Regions"

Discussant : Caterina Pavese

3- Elena Meschiz, Caterina Pavese

"Ability Composition in the Class and the School Performance of Immigrant Students"

Discussant : Andreas Steinmayr

3C - Work permits and illegal immigrants

Chair: Jonathan Chaloff

1- Romuald Méango

"The (Option-)Value of Overstaying"

Discussant : Pamela Qendrai

2- Pamela Qendrai, Lennart Kraft

"Work Permit Regulations and Labor Market Outcomes"

Discussant : Alice Mesnard

3- Emmanuelle Auriol, Alice Mesnard, Tiffanie Perrault

"Controlling Illegal Migration: Can a Market for Temporary Foreign Work Permits Help?"

Discussant : Romuald Méango

4A - Integration of immigrants	4B - Immigration, electoral outcomes and inequality
<p>Chair: Ana Damas de Matos</p>	<p>Chair: Lionel Ragot</p>
<p>1- Jaime Arellano-Bover, Shmuel San <i>"The Role of Firms in the Assimilation of Immigrants"</i> <i>Discussant</i> : Léa Marchal</p>	<p>1- Sarah Schneider-Strawczynski <i>"When is Contact Effective? Evidence on Refugee-Hosting and Far-Right Support in France"</i> <i>Discussant</i> : Apurav Yash Bhatiya</p>
<p>2- Léa Marchal, Guzmán Ourens, Giulia Sabbadini <i>"When Immigrants Meet Exporters: A Reassessment of the Immigrant-Native Wage Gap"</i> <i>Discussant</i> : Mette Foged</p>	<p>2- Apurav Yash Bhatiya <i>"Do Enfranchised Immigrants Affect Politicians Behaviour?"</i> <i>Discussant</i> : Lorenzo Pessina</p>
<p>3- Mette Foged, Janis Kreuder, Giovanni Peri <i>"Integrating Immigrants by Addressing Labor Shortages? A Policy Evaluation"</i> <i>Discussant</i> : Shmuel San</p>	<p>3- Arun Advani, Felix Koenig, Lorenzo Pessina, Andy <i>"Importing Inequality: Immigration and the Top 1 percent"</i> <i>Discussant</i> : Sarah Schneider-Strawczynski</p>

4C - Migration, trade and market structure
<p>Chair: Christophe Destais</p>
<p>1- Thierry Mayer, Hillel Rapoport, Camilo Umana-Dajud <i>"Free Trade Agreements and the Movement of Business People"</i> <i>Discussant</i> : Ludovic Panon</p>
<p>2- Florin Cucu, Ludovic Panon <i>"Asylum Policies, International Tensions and Trade Flows"</i> <i>Discussant</i> : Murat Güray Kirdar</p>
<p>3- Yusuf Emre Akgündüz, Yusuf Kenan Bağır, Seyit Mümin Cilasun, Murat Güray Kirdar <i>"Consequences of a Massive Refugee Influx on Firm Performance and Market Structure"</i> <i>Discussant</i> : Camilo Umana-Dajud</p>

Second Alberto Alesina Lecture on the Political Economy of Immigration

Paola Giuliano (UCLA - Anderson School of Management)

"Immigrants and Preferences for Redistribution"

Moderator: Hillel Rapoport